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Automatically Actuated Flexible Medical Devices

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2. That that the above-identified application 10/674,914 is owned by Stereotaxis, Inc., by virtue of an assignment recorded at Reel 014802, Frame 0204.
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5. That the inventor Raju Viswanathan named in the above-identified application 10/674,914 is the same inventor Raju Viswanathan in the prior published application 2004/0068173, under 35 U.S.C. 104.
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